

and churchwardens of such new parishes shall be chosen as herein before provided, and shall have perpetual succession, and be incorporated, by the name of The Vestry of such new parish, and such vestry and churchwardens shall have all the powers hereby granted in this act to other vestrymen and churchwardens; provided always, that a majority of the members of the Protestant Episcopal Church, qualified to vote for vestrymen, residing in any parish, or part or parts of a parish or parishes, proposed to be added to any new parish or parishes, or to be constituted into a new parish, shall consent thereto.

SEC. 34. *And be it enacted*, That immediately after the election of vestrymen on the next ensuing Easter Monday, as herein before directed, the act,* entitled, an act for the establishment of select vestries, and all the supplementary acts thereto, shall be and hereby are repealed.

Acts repealed.

*Mar. 1779, ch. 9.

CHAPTER 34.

A SUPPLEMENT to the ACT * for the establishment and regulation of Levy Courts in the several counties of this state. *1794, ch. 53.

See notes to the original act, ante page, 306.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the governor and council be authorized and required, annually, to appoint and commission, for each county in this state, seven of the most discreet and best qualified persons of the said county, from the list of those annually commissioned as justices of the peace, who shall be styled in the commission, justices of the levy court of such county, and who shall be dispersed as equally as may be through the county; and that in case any vacancy shall happen in any of the said courts by refusal to act, death, removal out of the county, resignation, or disqualification, the governor and council be authorized and required, from time to time, to supply such vacancy.

Seven persons to be appointed for each county, &c.

So much of this law as restricted the selection to those in the magistracy, was repealed by 1802, ch. 81.

SEC. 2. By this, eleven were to be appointed for Baltimore county. The powers of the levy court in that county, are transferred to commissioners elected immediately by the people thereof.

SEC. 3. *And be it enacted*, That the justices of the levy courts aforesaid, or a majority of them, shall be and are hereby invested with all powers which the justices of the peace of said counties have had at their respective meetings, as levy courts of their said counties.

Their powers.

SEC. 4. Repealed by 1798, ch. 70.

SEC. 5. Modified by local laws, graduating their per diem.

SEC. 6. *And be it enacted*, That no justice of the peace of any of the several counties of this state, other than those justices appointed and commissioned by virtue of this act, shall have or

Not to exercise certain powers.